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Leslie Barback Carroll
Carolyn Barraco Mouton
Linda Bernard Sanchez
Sylvia Beshel Comeaux
Barbara Bock Campbell
Linda Borge
Sue Bourgeois Sanchez
Sharon Bowles Hillebrandt
Janie Brandt *
Patsy Breaux Swanson
Cheryl Bruce Galland
Lynda Calato Arroyo
Olivia Campos LaVie
Carroll Capezza LaGrange
Carole Cellas Mancuso
Karolyn Champon Kubik
Bonnie Chappius Lauve
Cheryl Ciolino
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Judy Cricchio Mandina
Gail Cucurullo Ducote
Janice Cyrus Kimball
Marion D'Oriocourt Muhoberac
Barbara Davis Grant
Elaine Delaney
Bonnie Dellinger Matthis
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Bonnie Doherty Dekemel
Sandra Duracher Dugan
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Karen Froeba
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Sandra Geisler Dubreuil

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Roseann Guichard Boudoin
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Mary Ellen Heausler Smith
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Carol Huete Jones
Carol Juneau Orr
Elaine Keller Gussoni
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Melody Lala Carney *
Mary Lambert Guidry *
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Lydia Landry Beshears
Pat Lee Kurz *
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Judy Mandella Lee
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Jo Ann Matranga Castine
Kathryn Mauras Elliott
Ann Maurice Bassa
Amelia Mazerat Cannon
Cheryl Melito Chiasson
Sue Meyer Rodriguez
Jane Meyn Margavio
Cynthia Migliore Mentel
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Carolyn Pareti Ybos
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Dottie Patin Anderson
Gayle Patureau Young
Sherron Pelitere Leggio
Louise Pipitone Brunet
Lynn Power Brashear
Julie Randon Ricord
Juliette Randon Schellhaas
Cathie Ranlett Weinstein
Barbara Rebaudo Stacey
Sharon Richard Heintz
Susan Richard Simpoli
Barbara Rodriguez Cripple
Linda Roussel Lacombe
Sandra Ryals Blackerby
Janet Saucier Finta
Judy Schiro Coniglio
Lettie Schoenhardt Spivey
Mary Ann Schonacher Ledet
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Janice Sissac Gould
Jean Ann Smith Neumann
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Pam Steele Schinetsky
Patsy Swanson Yocum
Pat Tessitore Richard
Josie Tramuta Fridley
Sandra Tudury Branaman
Christine Vamprine Jackson *
Sharon Villemarette Hulin
Lynn Werling Wiggins
Sherron Wimprine Atzenhoffer
Julia Zelenka Birabent
Thyra Zimmerman
Doussan *



Deceased *



FIFTY YEARS AGO – 1963

The year 1963 was filled with many historic and interesting events. President John F. Kennedy was assassinated on November 22 in Dallas, Texas. Vice-President Lyndon Baines Johnson was sworn in as President on Air Force One just two hours after the assassination. Martin Luther King delivered his “I have a Dream” speech in Washington, DC. Pope John XXIII died in Rome and Pope Paul VI was chosen to succeed him. In the United States AT&T introduced the touch tone phone and zip codes were used for the first time by the post office. The Studebaker car went out of production and the Sabin Polio vaccine was given nationwide. Popular movies included Cleopatra, Lawrence of Arabia, Mutiny on the Bounty and To Kill a Mockingbird. TV shows like the Flintstones, The Andy Griffith Show, Mister Ed and the Dick Van Dyke Show aired in our homes. The Beatles released “I Want to Hold Your Hand” with “I Saw Her Standing There” on the reverse side of the record in 1963. Charles de Gaulle was President of France and Nikita Khrushchev ruled



Russia. Underwood manual typewriters sold for \$119.99 and a Plymouth Sport Fury car sold for \$285.00 new. A pound of bacon cost 29 cents, gas was 29 cents a gallon and a loaf of bread sold for 22 cents. Meanwhile back at 3222 Canal Street in New Orleans, Sacred Heart High School also had an interesting and exciting year. Sister Mary Naoma, SSND, served as Principal and Father Thomas Peyton, CSC, was Pastor of our church. Pat Tessitore was Class President, Karolyn Champon was Vice-President, Marie St. Romain was Secretary and Judy Cricchio served as Treasurer. The Dramarians presented two plays: “Western Melodrama” and “Summons of Sariel.” Sister Raymunda was head librarian, and the Choral Club, under the direction of Sister Madeleva, sang Christmas carols on WYES TV on Christmas night. “Gay Paree” was the theme of the Junior-Senior Prom where everybody “twisted” the night away. The talent show theme was “Under the Big Top”



and was directed by Sister Mary Dorothy. Sister Rose Ann was moderator of the year book and many hearts worked together to compile the “Heart” yearbook. Sports played a big part in the lives of many Sacred Heart girls. The CSMC and Sodality were also popular. As one student put it, “Our Fondest Memory is Sacred Heart Itself.” Enjoy your 50th anniversary everybody!

Helen Garin Mayfield '60

Courier II Editor



**MESSAGE FROM NEW PRESIDENT
AUDREY GARIN KENNEDY
CLASS OF 1968**

Dear Alumni,

Welcome to 2013! I hope this new year finds everyone “Happy and Healthy.” Plans are well under way for our annual Homecoming. Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 10, 2013 at St. Anthony of Padua Church. Mass begins at 2:00 pm with a reception to follow in the auditorium. ALL alumni are invited! Anyone wishing to lend assistance, please contact a Board Member. Hope to see y’all there.

Sincerely,
AUDREY GARIN KENNEDY, ‘68
PRESIDENT



REUNION NEWS SPRING 2013

‘48 – Mary Jane Woolledge Creel (504) 833-0060

The Class of 1948 will celebrate their 65th Anniversary this year. In the last Courier II I had requested that I hear from class members by Nov. 30th, 2012 if you would like me to plan a special class reunion the day before Homecoming. The only class members I heard from were Joyce Pellegrini and Mary Norris Folmer. We will plan to meet at the Homecoming Mass and Reception on Sunday, March 10, 2013. There will be several pews reserved for our class in honor of our 65th Anniversary. Looking forward to seeing you at Homecoming. Keep in touch. Call or write and let me know how you are doing.

‘53 – Beverly (Bev) Schmitt Rizzo (504) 283-0364
Patricia (Pat) Nolan Brewster (504) 342-2003

This class of 1953 will hold its 60th reunion on Saturday, May 18 at the Chateau Estates Country Club in Kenner LA. A social will begin at 11:00 am and a luncheon will follow at 12 noon. We would appreciate hearing from ALL interested class members who plan to attend no later than May 10. Contact either Beverly or Pat at the above telephone numbers.

‘57 – Ken Killian (504) 456-7851

Our class meets monthly on the first Wednesday of each month at New Orleans Hamburger and Seafood Company, 817 Veterans Blvd., Metairie, Louisiana for 1:00 pm. (No reservations required). For more information call or e-mail Dottie Bishop Cadella (504) 458-0870, dottiecadella@yahoo.com or Ken Killian at 456-7851, KILLIK@juno.com.

*Send Reunion News to Mary Joe Decareaux ‘71
At 827-1600 or midcitylady@hotmail.com; or send info to
Gaynelle Hand ‘52 at 831-2920 or gand1@cox.net.*

‘58 – Loretta Thomas Keane (504)733-7436

2013 marks our 55th anniversary of our graduation. I hope to get a class reunion together during this year. Please contact me at lkeane720@bellsouth.net or call me at 504-812-5400 for further details. Hope to see all of you at our 2013 Homecoming on March 10th.

‘61 – Priscilla LeBlanc Crossin (504) 888-1890
Sandra Nichols (504) 481-9947

How would you like to celebrate your 70th birthday with your schoolmates-The Class of 1961? A 5 day cruise is being planned for October 5th to October 10, 2013. Inside cabin rates are \$336.45 and ocean view rates are \$376.95 on Carnival Elation-Port of New Orleans. Please contact Sandra Nichols-cell phone 504-481-9947 or Priscilla LeBlanc Crossin at 504-888-1890 or 452-7254. Pick your roommate. We haven’t heard from many of you so please try to join us on this cruise!

‘69 – Sheila Gilbert Painter (985) 652-2201

Our next reunion for the Class of 1969 will be on April 13, 2013 from 6 pm to 9 pm at Huckleberry’s Restaurant located at 1821 Hickory Avenue in Harahan, Louisiana.

‘73 –

Susan McCarthy is planning a 40 Year Reunion for the Class of 1973. It will be held either the beginning or middle of June. If your address is changed please contact:

Susan McCarthy (504) 454-3354
Debbie Caruso Amiss (504) 427-0317
Maria Ovella Siebenkittle (504) 421-3129
Also they are on Facebook – Class of 1973

COOKBOOKS ARE STILL AVAILABLE

“Hearts in the Kitchen” cookbooks are available. They make nice gifts for friends and family. You can e-mail us at shsneworleans@gmail.com or write to us at Sacred Heart Alumni Association, P. O. Box 7463, Metairie, LA, 70010-7463.



MARDI GRAS QUEEN



Linda Marchand Prattini, class of 1959, was chosen Queen at the January board meeting of the Sacred Heart Alumni Association. Linda got the bean in her slice of king cake. We all had a fun time.



Other board members seen having fun at the king cake party were, left to right: Frances Termini , '55, Gaynell Hand, '52, Audrey Kornrumpf, '47 and Adelaide Benoit , '46. Standing left to right: Enola Stokes , '55 and JoAnn Sens, '55.

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

As Vice-President of the Alumni Association, I am asking that interested members come forward and become board members of the Sacred Heart High School Alumni Association. Due to the aging of some of our board members, we need younger people to help us in planning for future events. Our homecoming is held each year to honor the class that graduated 50 years ago from Sacred Heart. We are trying to hold this event each year but in the next few years if we do not have any added interest in our association, your class might not have a homecoming event. That would be disastrous. We would also like to have social gatherings from time to time to bring us all together to chit chat with our friends and classmates. If you are interested in helping Sacred Heart stay alive for all alumni, please write to us at Sacred Heart Alumni, P.O. Box 7463, Metairie, LA 70010-7463. Let us hear from you and may "the memories of Sacred Heart never fade."

Helen Garin Mayfield '60

Vice-President

Memorabilia

Once again at our Homecoming we will have articles for sale. Some of these include: prints of Sacred Heart School for \$10.00; key chains for \$2.00; magnets for \$3.00; pins for \$2.00; cookbooks for \$30.00. You can also pay your dues for 2013. Cash or check only. Credit cards are not accepted. Help support your Alumni Association.



Cookbooks will be on sale the day of Homecoming for only \$30.00! Get yours there.

PHOTOGRAPHER

Please have correct change or check to pay the photographer for your class picture. She will not have change to give you. She does not accept credit cards. Thanks.

OIL PAINTINGS RAFFLE

A friend of Sacred Heart High School has generously donated two oil paintings measuring 12x14 inches, before framing. The pair will be framed when raffled. These paintings of two scenes in the famous New Orleans French Quarter will be raffled and the winner chosen at our board appreciation dinner in late August or September. One painting is of the shops on Royal Street with balconies above and the other is a sidewalk scene along the fence by Jackson Square. Chances will be sold for \$1.00 each. Just fill in space found on the 2013 dues slip that will be mailed to you with our next Courier II. These paintings will be an attractive addition to your home. Help support our charities, namely the School Sisters of Notre Dame in Chatawa, Mississippi and St. Anthony of Padua Church in New Orleans, where many former parishioners of Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish attended mass. We appreciate your donation!



New Treasurer

Congratulations to Jo Ann Macaluso Sens '55 on being elected the new treasurer of the Sacred Heart High School Alumni Association. Current officers will remain for another term.

OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS

Audrey Garin Kennedy '68 *President*
Helen Garin Mayfield '60 *Vice President*
Colleen Dempsey Carmichael '68 *Recording Secretary*
Frances LeRoux Terminie '55 *Corresponding Secretary*
Jo Ann Macaluso Sens '55 *Treasurer*
Mary Jane Woolledge Creel '48 *Historian*

Florence Kane '45
Joanna T. Oliphant '45
Adelaide Hattier Benoit '46
Audrey D. Kornrumpf '47
Marie Clare Daigle Liuzza '47
Frances Heath Arceneaux '47
Velma Landry Elmer '48
Gaynelle Hand '52
Marilyn Miller Reynolds '52

Enola Murray Stokes '55
Loretta Thomas Keane '58
Linda Marchand Prattini '59
Priscilla Leblanc Crossin '61
Sandra Nichols '61
Mary Anne Ruppert Ticker '65
Debbie Glory Maxwell '70
Mary Joe Decareaux '71

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FORMER GRADUATES OF SACRED HEART HIGH SCHOOL**

IN MEMORIAM

Nancy Pecoraro Donahue '34
Beverly Brandon Berlin '36
Margaret Deutschmann '48
Betty Pelicano Dawson '51

Myrna Tabary Ermon '55
Melody Robertson Craft '65
Berthadean Thibodeaux Wolf '65
Rebecca Schomaker Nichols '68

